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In re the Application of: **IZUMI, Katsutoshi, et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2815**

Serial No.: **10/699,832**

Examiner: **Jerome Jackson, Jr.**

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**FOR: MONOCRYSTALLINE GALLIUM NITRIDE LOCALIZED SUBSTRATE AND
MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF**

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 8, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 8, 2006, extended to December 8, 2006, by a one-month Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.